

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please replace Figure 1 with Replacement Figure 1 enclosed herewith.

REMARKS

By this amendment, Figure 1 has been replaced with Replacement Figure 1 enclosed herewith.

In the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner requested that corrected drawings including the changes required in the September 18, 2001 Office Action be submitted. Specifically, the Examiner had objected to the drawings for including reference signs not mentioned in the description. The Examiner also objected to the drawings because they did not show the "coil assembly disposed between the permanent magnet and the pump section". This feature was found in claims 3, 10, and 17.

The enclosed Replacement Figure 1 includes all of the drawing changes approved on January 22, 2002, namely the removal of reference signs 15a-15d and 15f-15g.

Regarding the above-mentioned feature found in claims 3, 10, and 17, these claims were previously canceled, rendering the objection moot. The claims allowed in the present application recite a "coil assembly having a winding" which is clearly shown in the drawings. As no objections to the drawings have been made in view of the allowed claims, the drawings are therefore believed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.83(a).

In the Interview Summary enclosed with the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner wrote:

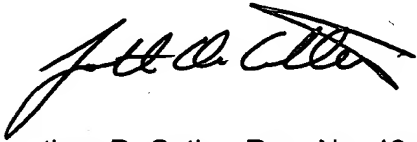
"Dominic Goudreault stated that the search was not done by the Japanese Patent Office and that no counterpart foreign applications were filed."

However, this is incorrect. Dominic Goudreault did state that the search was not done by the Japanese Patent Office, but only stated that no Japanese counterpart applications were filed. Related foreign applications have been filed and where prior art

has been identified in these applications, it has been submitted in an IDS in the present application.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further is desirable to place the application in better condition for issuance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jonathan D. Cutler', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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